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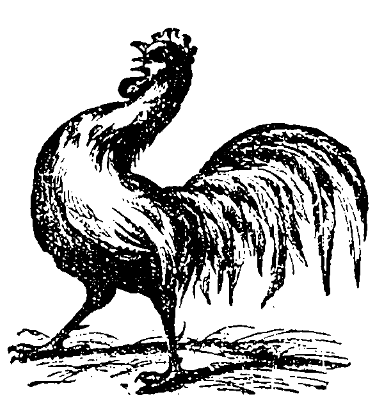

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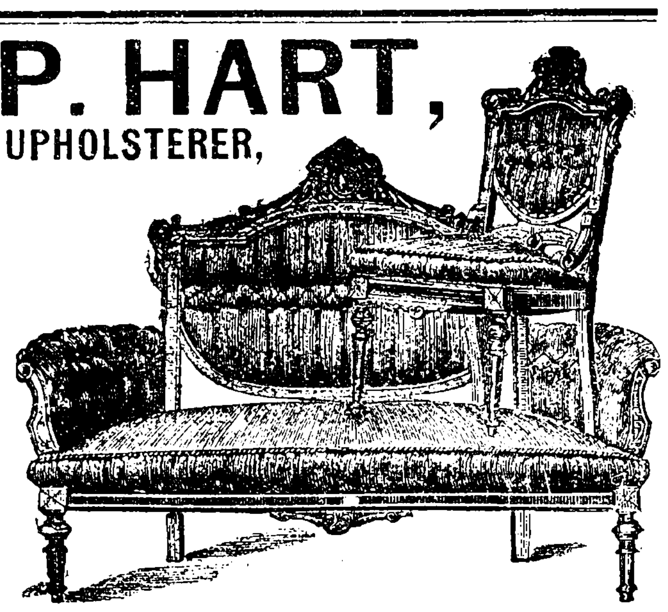

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PASTURES.

The Practice of Turning Stock Into the Fields in Spring a Very Injurious One.

The old practice of turning cattle and sheep out to pasture as soon as there is a single rod of land clear of snow, is yet continued in some portions of the country, but, as a rule, farmers have learned that it is a very wasteful practice to turn cattle into the pastures, even for a few hours in the middle of the day, until there is a good growth of grass for them to feed on. There are yet some who still persist in following in the footsteps of their ancestors; they seem to have an idea that every pound of dry grass which the cattle eat is so much gained; they do not stop to consider how much more food it will take to keep a cow that is roving over fifty acres of land, than it will to keep one that is kept in the barn, or in a small sheltered yard, nor do they think of the great damage to the pasture by the feet of the cattle.

When the land is soft every step of an animal destroys ten times as much summer feed as the animal will get; in fact, the farmer who turns his cattle out early in the spring makes it a practice, as a rule, to keep his cattle out in the autumn until the land is covered with snow; so the grass has been fed so close that there is but very little left to cover the grass roots, or to furnish food for the cattle in the early spring. Bad as our pastures are, when we consider how many of them are treated, it is really a wonder they are no worse.

The cattle are very sure to keep the best grasses gnawed down very close to the ground, thus exposing the roots to the severe cold, as well as sudden changes of weather. The time is coming when much more attention will be given to the care of our pastures; when it does come the cattle will not be turned into them until the grass is well started, and the land has become well settled, thus giving the better qualities of grasses a chance to become well rooted. By beginning to feed a pasture too early in the spring the feed is kept so short that the first dry week in summer will burn up what little grass there is, thus leaving the roots so exposed that many of them will die, leaving bare places which will invite the growth of undesirable plants. It is by this practice that many pastures become covered with coarse grasses, weeds and bushes. If care be taken to give the better qualities of grasses time to get well started before feeding it off, there will be something to protect the roots during dry weather, and with a little encouragement by way of fertilizers the ground may be kept so covered with the better varieties of grasses that the weeds and bushes will be easily kept out. Better feed the cattle at the barn a few weeks longer than usual than turn them out before grass gets well started.
—*Massachusetts Ploughman.*

MILK FOR BABES.

The Kind of Milk Best Calculated to Promote the Health of Infants.

To be a perfect food for infants, milk must be of the very best quality. This statement is not meant to convey the impression that it must be very rich in cream, or any one of its other parts; but that it should be in as sweet, pure, perfect condition as possible. Cow's milk, as it averages when the milk of several cows is mixed together, is rich enough in fats and other constituents, and often needs diluting. An excess of cream impairs rather than improves it for this class of consumers. An excess would be about as objectionable as a deficiency. It is important that it should come from a cow in good health, and fed on sweet and wholesome food; for the quality and wholesomeness of milk will vary with the character of the food from which it is made.

To produce the best milk for infants, the animals giving it should neither be overfed nor underfed. One extreme would be as unfortunate as the other. Milk becomes vitiated when its secretion is over-stimulated. In part, at least, milk is derived from decomposition of tissue; and when this goes on actively, fragments of tissue break away without being perfectly dissolved; and may be seen suspended in the milk. The fragments that are small enough to pass through an ordinary strainer remain in the milk, and by their rapid decomposition affect its flavor and quality.

For infants' use, milk from cows giving rather a moderate quantity is to be preferred to that from cows producing unusually large yields. When milk becomes irregular from extremes in feeding, it is greatly improved by filtering it through a sack of pulverized charcoal. Filtering it through filter paper will help it very much, but charcoal is better. The filter will catch all the objectionable solids, and the absorbent capacity of the charcoal will take up all the prominent odors, and the milk will come out with a decidedly new and delicious flavor, and much improved in a sanitary point of view. One who has not tried it will be surprised at the quantity of offensive matter that will soon collect in the charcoal.—*Prof. L. B. Arnold, in N. Y. Tribune.*

Study of Things.

Parents and teachers will do well to turn the thoughts of the young to the careful observation and study of particular things round about them. By calling attention to the robin that hops from limb to limb, one may lead a child to observe its plumage, its habits, its nest, its eggs, its winter habits, etc., till, interest being aroused and powers of observation stimulated, the child becomes not only an ornithologist, but able to observe and reflect upon a hundred other things. So a flower, a stone, the sight of a star, may open the gate to vast and wonderfully entertaining realms of thought. Begin soon, that observation and reflection may be early developed. It is a rare privilege to open fields of thought to the eager mind of childhood.—*Golden Rule.*

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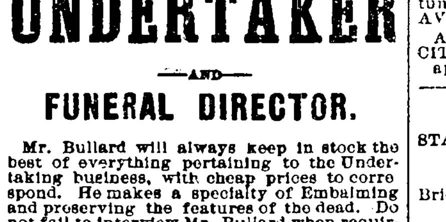

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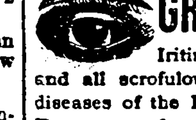

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

Macon County Circuit Court.

Bridget P. Ryder, Guardian, &c., vs. Philip A. Williams, et al—No. 12,055.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December Term, A. D. 1884, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

Monday, the 18th day of May, A. D., 1885,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: Lots twelve, nineteen and twenty (12, 19 & 20), in block two (2) of George F. Wessels' addition to the city of Decatur, Ill., together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., April 27th 1885.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
J. M. CLOKEY, Sol. for Complainant. 25-d3w

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

Macon County Circuit Court.

Abner C. Moore vs. George Miller et al—No. 12,041.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said Court at the December Term, A. D. 1884, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

Saturday, the 9th Day of May A. D. 1885,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, towit: The south half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three (33), in township eighteen (18) north in range three (3) east of the 3d P. M., together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, April 18th, 1885.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of Silas G. Hatch and Volney G. Hatch, Doing business as S. G. Hatch & Bro., Debtor.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that Silas G. Hatch and Volney G. Hatch, doing business as S. G. Hatch & Bro., of the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, did, on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1885, transfer to the undersigned, as assignee, all their property, real and personal, for the benefit of their creditors, according to the provisions of the act concerning assignments. All persons having claims against Silas G. Hatch and Volney G. Hatch, as S. G. Hatch & Bro., are hereby notified to present such claims under oath or affirmation to me at the city of Decatur, in said county, within three months from this date at the business house of J. R. Race & Co.

Dated April 25th, 1885.

JAMES W. RACE, Assignee.
Apr25-d6w

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It looks a good deal less warlike to-day, and the markets will have a chance to settle down again.

Gen. Grant continues to improve, and yesterday dictated for an hour and a half to a stenographer on his book. He has nearly finished his Appomatox campaign.

Our neighbor of the Democratic organ hastens to apologize for the New Orleans junket of a part of the legislature by saying that it is "not as bad as represented." To properly appreciate the weight of this observation it should be borne in mind that the leader of the junketers is the Democratic speaker of the house, and the majority of the party are Democrats. If the reverse had been true the readers of the *Review* would have been regaled for weeks with the indignant protestations of its "non-partisan" editor against such an enormous offense.

The editor of the *Review* never lets an opportunity slip to throw a slur at Senator Rogers. His latest is to reflect upon that gentleman for coming home to vote at the city election. If the Senator had not come home on that occasion the hypercritical editor would have made that a ground of criticism. The *Review* editor ought to become sensible of the fact that in all this he only betrays a spirit which makes him ridiculous, for the public cannot lose sight of the fact that it was this same Senator Rogers who sat down on the aforesaid editor so hard in 1882. Hence all this criticism.

Commissioner Sparks of the General Land Office thinks he has discovered that seventy inspectors of the bureau have cost the Government $1,000,000 a year. The appropriation for the salaries and traveling expenses of these seventy officials has been $200,000 a year. The Commissioner should cudgel his brains to learn whence comes the other $800,000.

The British consolidated Government bonds known as "consols," which have of late been the most watched quotation on the markets of the world, amount in value to $3,500,000,000, on which the annual interest is $145,000,000. They constitute a perpetual obligation of the United Kingdom, bearing 3 per cent interest and representing an irredeemable principal. For seven years back they have not been quoted as low as at present, their fluctuations being confined to between 99 and 100, closing Saturday at 95 and a fraction. The idea of the consol, and wherein it differs from our national debt, is that the principal may vary in amount, but the interest never. The word consol is an abbreviation of "consolidated annuities."

Buffalo Bill's Show.

Considerable interest is manifested in the "Wild West" show that is to be given next Thursday and Friday afternoons at the fair grounds by Buffalo Bill and his company. The Indianapolis *Sentinel* thus describes the exhibition there this week:

The expert shooting of Mr. Cody while riding at full speed excelled any of his former efforts in this city and elicited much applause. The fancy rifle work of Billy, the Kid of North Platte, as that of the young lady, were wonderful. The historical stage-coach, with driver and outguard men who had long been in actual service, attacked by Indians in ambush, repulsed by cowboys and Mexicans, presented a scene full of excitement. The several races, lassoing the buffalo, elk and wild steers, were interesting features, but none so amusing as the efforts of the expert riders to mount several "bucking" broncho, that have always refused being ridden. These obstinate little creatures are not trained to make a showing of wrath, but simply have never been sufficiently conquered to be of service as saddle horses. To this moment we have a kindly pity for the cowboys who made futile attempts to ride "Dynamite" and "Suicide," two of this unruly number. As a whole the rich, gaudy trappings, tent, Indians, cowboys, Mexicans, ponies, cattle and buffalo—present a most picturesque scene, and one strikingly similar to genuine frontier life.

Professional Etiquette

prevents some doctors from advertising their skill, but we are bound by no such conventional rules, and think that if we make a discovery that is of benefit to our fellows, we ought to spread the fact to the whole land. Therefore we cause to be published throughout the land the fact Dr. R V. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" is the best known remedy for consumption (scrofula of the lungs) and kindred diseases. Send two stamps for Dr Pierce's complete treatise on consumption, with unsurpassed means of self-treatment. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

The deluded Second Adventists at Corinna, Maine, who had made preparations for the coming of the Lord and the end of the world last Wednesday, have dropped their ascension robes and returned to their usual avocations. Elder Nickerson, the false prophet, is expected to return to Corinna Monday, when he will revise his figures and probably announce the discovery of an important error. A little hard work at sawing wood would take the conceit out of Nickerson, and others of his ilk.

Washed-Out Hair.

There is a sort of a pallid, chalky complexion which the novelists call a 'washed-out complexion.' It is ghastly enough, and no mistake. Washed-out, faded, discolored, or parti-colored hair, is almost as repulsive and melancholy. Parker's Hair Balsam will restore your hair to its original color, whatever it was; brown, auburn or black. Why wear moss on your head, when you may easily have lively, shining hair. m1-w&deod4w

Try and read Cheap Charley's advertisement. 7-dawtf

BY TELEGRAPH

HUMAN BACGAGE.

Pittsburgh Enjoys a Sensation Somewhat Resembling the Maxwell-Preller Mystery.

The Unsavory Odor Issuing From a Trunk in Transit Causes It to Be Broken Open,

Revealing the Partly Decomposed Body of a Murdered Man—Shipped From Chicago.

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 2.—The peculiar odor arising from a small trunk at the Union Depot yesterday, caused a suspicion that something was wrong. When it was taken from the Chicago train this morning at 7:30 o'clock the baggagemen noticed the strong smell emanating from it, and it was left standing outside the baggage-room all day. The trunk was finally opened this evening by the depot men, and was found to contain the body of a man. The body was packed in a skillful way, being securely tied before being placed in the trunk. A rope placed around the neck, left arm and body, just under the arms, was wrapped tightly around the left leg, both limbs being drawn up. The arms were tied securely around the neck.

Word was sent to Flannery's undertaking rooms, and the body was then taken there. The train on which the trunk arrived is known as "No. 8," and left Chicago Thursday at 5:15 p. m. The trunk was checked from Chicago to Pittsburgh, the number of the check being 1,171. Mr. Jenkins telegraphed to Thomas Adams, agent at Chicago last night, and received the following reply:

"No, sir, can not say who had trunk bearing Chicago & Pittsburgh check."

No one connected with the depot had any idea of the owner or whether the person procuring the check in Chicago had accompanied the body. The body is that of an Italian, about five feet ten inches high and smoothly shaven, dark hair and eye-brows, thick lips and neck, and would probably weigh 150 pounds. It was dressed in a common flannel undershirt, gray plaid pants and dark vest. In the pocket of the vest was found a receipt for a money order for $25, sent from Chicago February 25th, and contained the name of Philipi Caruso. Those who viewed the remains at the depot and at the undertaking rooms were of the unanimous opinion that the man had been killed in a quarrel, and then packed in the trunk and shipped, in order to cover up the crime. The body was partly decomposed. Coroner Dressler said the man had undoubtedly been dead several days.

A telegram was sent to the Chief of Police at Chicago, to which a reply was received saying that the check for the trunk had been procured by three Italians, but further than that, nothing could be learned of them.

ROUGHS ON THE RAIL.

Dead-Head Members of the Illinois Legislature Disgraced.

Chicago, Ill., May 2.—A special to the *Daily News* from Fulton, Ky., says: "The excursion train is divided into two divisions, running within half an hour of each other. Speaker Haines, Representatives Conkrite, Kimbrough, Welch, Senators Duncan, Sherman and Hill were on the first section, which consists of five new Pullman coaches, a smoker and a baggage car. The rougher element of the legislature is on the second train, which is comprised of the same number of coaches. Quinn O'Shea, McAllvey and others of that class, who are in the second train, complained much of the silk-stocking element taking possession of the best cars. They had a good supply of liquors with them, and their indignation waxed warmer the more they drank. They cursed the management of the excursion and caused a general disturbance in their sleeper. At two o'clock yesterday morning they were still making night hideous with their orgies. In one of the upper berths was a clerk in the Marshall's office at Springfield.

The clerk was not acquainted with the gang who had objected to his gentlemanly demeanor during the early part of the night. He was awakened from a sound sleep by some one tugging at his feet. On protesting against this treatment, he was jerked out of the berth and fell on the floor, and was partially stunned by the fall. His assailant then proceeded to stamp on him, and would have done him serious injury had not some of the soberer members of the party interfered. As it was the clerk's upper lip was seriously bruised, and several of his teeth knocked loose. When the two sections of the train came together at Cairo he was taken into the first section. The affair has caused great indignation. The clerk does not know who his assailant was, but the outrage is generally credited to the Cook County toughs."

The Steel Nail-Makers' Conference.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 2.—The first conference between the Scale Committee of the Western Iron Association and the Amalgamated Association was held yesterday afternoon at the office of the former, both parties fully represented. President Weihe, of the Amalgamated Association, presented, on behalf of the Workers' Committee, their proposals for the renewal of the existing scale, based on $5.50 per ton for puddling on a two and a half cent card rate, with certain alterations and additions.

The proposal shows that the association, far from making any concessions, is taking up a firmer stand on the steel nail question. The reason given is that all steel nails are more difficult to make than iron nails. The manufacturers' committee asked for time to consider their proposals, and it was unanimously agreed to adjourn the conference till May 14th.

The general opinion among the manufacturers is that the above proposals amount in many particulars to a demand for an advance. It is thought the manufacturers will propose a $4.50 rate for puddling, and may be disposed to agree on $5.00 as a compromise.

Dangerously Insane.

Baltimore, Md., May 2.—Barney Call, his wife and five children, have lived in Canton for the past three years, earning a livelihood by keeping a fancy goods and grocery store. Recently, Mrs. Call has shown unmistakable signs of insanity, but it was not until Thursday night that she was considered as a fit subject for a lunatic asylum. The family retired about eleven o'clock. At midnight Mrs. Call arose and her husband, noticing that she stared vacantly about the room, asked her what the matter was. For answer she made a sudden and savage attack upon him. Being a very large woman and much stronger than her husband, she soon had him at her mercy. She threw him upon the floor and seized his left ear with her teeth and tore it in a dreadful manner. She then fastened her teeth in his breast and badly lacerated the flesh. Mr. Call's face was scratched out of all recognition, and when the neighbors, attracted by his screams, rushed in, the blood was streaming from his wounds. The frantic woman was overpowered, and when she gazed confusedly at her husband, the sight seemed to recall her tottering reason, and she suffered herself to be led into an adjoining room.

Early this morning she had another spell. She imagined that her children had been stolen away; and armed with a heavy billet of wood, she attacked three police officers, who were near the house. They finally succeeded in handcuffing her. She was removed to Spring Grove Insane Asylum last evening.

THE RIEL REVOLT.

General Middleton Resolves to Advance Without Awaiting Supplies.

Winnipeg, Man., May 2.—General Middleton, fearing that delay in moving north might enable the rebels to recover from their defeat at Fish Creek and strengthen their position at Batouche, has decided to advance at once without waiting for the arrival of the steamer with hospital stores. A severe engagement may be looked for shortly, as the rebels will undoubtedly show fight again. No reliance is placed in the report that the rebels are short of ammunition, as large quantities were obtained during the first raid on stores at Duck's Lake and Batouche, since which time arms and ammunition have been taken from all white settlers.

The country around Batouche is most favorable for the kind of warfare the Indians and half-breeds indulge in, and the latter, now finding their homes invaded, will fight with a will and determination which none but those who know them can realize. The troops, however, are better armed, and, assisted by big guns, will probably dislodge them from their strongholds.

A scout from Prince Albert says that Eli Dumont, a brother of Gabriel, was killed. The scout confirms the report that Albert Monkman is with Riel, and thinks the stores at Batouche were burned on Tuesday.

A large number of arrests have been made by the police at Prince Albert of parties suspected of being disaffected and in sympathy with the rebels, as a precautionary measure.

Mounted Police for the Front.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 2.—A special train on the St. Paul Road passed through here yesterday afternoon, bearing 200 mounted Canadian police from Ottawa to Winnipeg, by way of the Manitoba line. Their mission is to assist in putting down the Riel rebellion.

THE TURF.

Opening Day at Nashville, Tenn.

Nashville, Tenn., May 2.—The first day of the Nashville spring meeting opened with a good attendance. The weather was cold, a stiff breeze blowing from the north. The track was in fair condition. The surprise of the day was the running second of a rank outsider, Tambourine, in the first race.

SUMMARY.

First Race, Inaugural rush—One mile: Monogram, first; Tambourine, second; Billy Gilmore, third. Time, 1:45 3-4.

Second Race—Hermitage stakes for two-year-old fillies; half a mile: Edgefield, first; Hermitage, second; Bordelaise, third. Time, 50 1-2.

Third Race — Selling; mile heats: First heat—Belle B., first; Bonnie S., second; Lilly B., third. Time, 1:49. Second heat—Bonnie S., first; Virgie Hearne, second; Belle B., third. Time, 1:48 1-2. Third heat—Belle B., first; Bonnie S., second. Time, 1:50 1-2.

Fourth Race—Maxwell House stakes for maiden three-year-old colts and fillies; one mile: Play Fair, first; Lord Coolidge, second; Erebus, third. Time, 1:43.

BASE BALL.

Games Played Friday, May 1.

Keokuk, Ia.—Keokuks, 2; Indianapolis, 2.

Washington, D. C. — Nationals, 16; Wilmingtons, 5.

St. Louis, Mo. — Chicagos, 9; St. Louis, 5.

Detroit, Mich.—Detroits, 8; Buffalos, 3.

Omaha, Neb. — Omahas, 5; Clevelands, 3.

Slosson and Sexton.

New York, May 2.—A billiard match of 500 points up, cushion caroms, was made last night between Geo. F. Slosson, of Chicago, and Wm. Sexton, of New York. Al Smith, the backer of Slosson, bets Harry Howard, Sexton's backer, $500 to $1,000 that Slosson will win. The match will be played at Irving Hall next Wednesday evening.

Spinal Diseases.

New Orleans, La., May 2.—Dr. Meigs Case, of New York, a well-known authority in spinal diseases, whose apparatus is on exhibition in the main building, has arrived here, and by request has delivered several addresses to the New Orleans Medical and Surgical Association. Dr. Case's theory is that all spinal deformities are preventable by prompt use of elastic extension to the spine.

Convicted of Murder in the Second Degree.

Princess Anne, Md., May 2.—Captain John Williams, the oyster-boat captain, who killed Otto Maher, a young German, last winter, by persistent and unparalleled cruelty, and who has been on trial here for the past ten days, was last evening convicted of murder in the second degree. Sentence deferred.

Wife Murder and Suicide.

Macon, Ga., May 2.—W. H. Jones, a locomotive engineer, shot his wife yesterday morning and then killed himself. His wife can not possibly recover. Jones died instantly. Domestic troubles were the cause leading to the deed.

See the Switchman's Hand-made shoe, all calf, solid as leather can make, at Powers & Haworth's. mar19-dtf

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FROM WASHINGTON.

A Glimpse at the Shiners Laid Away in Uncle Sam's Strong Box.

Millions of Money—Receipts and Expenditures of a Great Nation—The Old and the New.

The Nez Perces--Beating the Revenue--Counterfeits Detected--Denied the Use of the Mails.

The Public Debt and National Finances.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—The public debt statement for April was prepared at the Treasury Department yesterday, in both the old and new forms. Approved copies with all details will not, however, be ready for distribution until to-day. According to the old form of statement, the reduction in the public debt during the month of April amounted to $5,464,596.38, while in the new form the amount of reduction is placed at $4,837,339.71. This discrepancy amounting to $627,256.67, is due to the fact that in the new form two items, accrued and unpaid April interest on Pacific Railroad bonds amounting to $298,037.56, and the amount of increase during the month in fractional and minor coins, amounting to $329,219.11 are treated—the first as liabilities, and the latter as assets, unavailable for debt reduction.

In the old form, the available cash in the Treasury is shown to be $155,816,043, and in the new form the net cash balance in hand is placed at $23,957,421. The difference here is accounted for by adding to the net cash balance, reported in the new form $100,000,000 reserve held for the redemption of United States notes, regarded in the new form as a liability, and about $32,000,000 fractional silver and minor coin, treated in the new form as assets unavailable for the reduction of the debt.

The Treasury now holds $165,000,000 in gold and about $110,000,000 in silver for gold and silver certificates outstanding, against $116,000,000 gold and $113,000,000 silver a month ago.

Customs receipts for April were $14,610,974, about half a million less than a year ago; internal revenue receipts, $9,290,337, nearly a million less than in April, 1884.

The total receipts of the Government from all sources for the ten months of the current fiscal year amount in round numbers to $226,300,000, against $228,600,000 for the corresponding ten months of the preceding fiscal year; while the expenditures for all purposes for the ten months of the year foot up $2,379,000, against $2,180,000 for the ten months of the preceding year. Compared with the corresponding ten months of the preceding fiscal year, there has been a falling off in customs revenue this year amounting to about $14,000,000, and in internal revenue receipts of nearly $7,000,000.

Counting the Nation's Wealth—The Cash Balance.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—The count of the money and securities in the Treasury is being pushed forward rapidly. Nearly one hundred clerks are engaged in counting the moneys and securities in the Treasurer's office, but it is not expected that they can complete the work before the middle of the month. The cash held by the tellers of the cash-room was counted last night and balanced within two cents.

Beating the Revenue.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—It has been represented to the Secretary of the Treasury that importers of silk are importing ribbons and silks of all kinds under the provision for the importation of silk hat bands at twenty per cent., thus evading the proper duty of fifty per cent. on such goods. Regulations intended to put a stop to this fraudulent practice are likely to be issued soon.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—Dispatches indicating a purpose on the part of settlers in Idaho to exterminate any Nez Perce Indians brought back to that Territory were received at the Indian Office yesterday. The attitude of these settlers is so threatening that Commissioner Atkins has decided to postpone, at least temporarily, the contemplated movement of the Nez Perces now in the Indian Territory to their old reservation in Idaho.

Appointed.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—The President yesterday appointed Thomas M. Terrall to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of New Jersey, and Geo. Hayes to be Supervising Inspector of Steam Vessels for the Fifth District.

Failures for the Week.

New York, May 2.—There were 167 failures in the United States reported to Bradstreet's during the week, against 198 in the preceding week, and 151, 132 and 96 in the corresponding weeks of 1884, 1883 and 1882, respectively.

Counterfeits Detected.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—The experts of the redemption division of the Treasury yesterday detected two counterfeit $1,000 7-80 bonds of the issue of 1864, which had been sent in for redemption from a Chicago National Bank.

Denied the Use of the Mails.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—The delivery of registered letters and money-orders to Ridd & Co., of Dubuque, Ia., alleged to be conducting a fraudulent business, has been stopped by orders from the Post-office Department.

Suspended.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—Special Agent Chamberlain of the Treasury has been suspended.

The Indiana Train Robber's Victims.

Chicago, Ill., May 2.—Superintendent Fargo of the American Express Company received a dispatch yesterday from the physicians in attendance on Weber and Davis, the men attacked by a robber on the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago Railroad at Harrodsburg, Indiana, early Thursday morning, saying that Davis, the express messenger, was still alive, but could not recover, as brain matter was oozing through a hole in his head. Weber, the baggageman, is recovering. The robber has not been arrested.

The Assistant Manager said that the company had only heard from Louisville and New Albany regarding the amount of money given the messenger. These places show only $1,800, he said: "Besides these there are only four towns where money could be taken, and we are positive none was taken at Harrodsburg. The other towns will not report at the highest over $400. The loss therefore is trifling."

The War On the Bucket Shops.

Chicago, Ill., May 2.—The fight between the Chicago Board of Trade and the bucket shops remains in the same condition. The Board of Trade Committee state they will furnish the quotations to their customers over their own wires with their own tickers, which are now being manufactured, and never again will a telegraph instrument save their own be allowed on the floor. Colonel Clowry, General Superintent of the Western Union, is in New York carrying on negotiations with the board by telegraph. The open board yesterday traded on New York quotations, or made figures for themselves, and members claimed that they were filling orders satisfactorily. Late in the day the bucket shops were found to be running on quotations, obtained either by tapping a wire, or read by messengers.

Reported Indian Depredations.

Denver, Col., May 2.—The Chiricahuas are reported to be committing depredations on the southern borders. One herder has been scalped and his stock driven into old Mexico. The boldness of the Indians is attributed to the presence of colored troops in Arizona, the Indians knowing they have never been in active conflict on the frontier, and have no knowledge of their fighting qualities. The Indians have not ventured far from the Mexican border. Should the reported raids be verified, the Mexican and American troops will operate jointly against the Indians.

Fighting a Strike in the Bridewell.

Chicago, Ill., May 2.—Shortly after one o'clock yesterday afternoon word was received from Superintendent Fulton that the rebellion in the Amazon hosiery establishment, within the walls of the County Bridewell, was over, and that the men had gone to work again. Sixty-two of the mutineers were placed in cells and handcuffed to the gate in such a position that they could not lie down from four o'clock Thursday afternoon until eight o'clock yesterday morning. The men were still defiant, and the Superintendent ordered all bedding removed from their cells and put them on short rations until the rebellion ceased.

The Plague in Plymouth.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 2.—There is no improvement in the state of affairs in Plymouth. Doctors from here have gone to assist in caring for the sick, who are said by local physicians to number 1,000, out of a population of 8,000. There was fourteen funerals and eight deaths yesterday. People who can get away are leaving for a healthier climate. Dr. Higgins, of this place, has investigated the disease, and says it is typhoid fever, caused by bad water. He advises the people to boil the water before drinking it.

Death of Commodore Garrison.

New York, May 1.—Commodore C. K. Garrison, the well-known railroad and steamship owner, died yesterday afternoon at his residence, 40 Park avenue, of paralysis of the heart. He was in his seventy-sixth year. His fortune had been much impaired by recent losses, but is still estimated at from $4,000,000 to $5,000,000. Though he had been ailing for some time, his death was unexpected. He drove out as lately as Thursday. Commodore Garrison leaves a wife, a daughter and four brothers, three of the latter living in St. Louis and one in Pittsburgh.

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All linen tablecloth at 20c per yard.
Turkey red " 38c per yard.
28c jeans only 21c per yard.
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25c hoop-skirts now 15c.
28c hoop-skirts now 18c.
Ladies' and children's gossamers 80c.
Extra heavy shirting at 7½c.
500 pairs children's cloth shoes, 50c.
Clothes racks at 88c and 98c.
$1.25 wash boiler at 98c.
$1.35 wash boiler at $1.08.
Matches at 1c per box.
5c tumblers 3 for 10c.
6c goblets 6 for 25c.
5c glass dessert dishes 7 for 25c.
Lamp chimneys 3 for 10c.
5c dessert dishes 6 for 25c.
38c covered tureen 28c.
48c covered tureen 38c.
58c covered tureen 48c.
3c butter plates at 2c.
5c pie plates, 6 for 25c.
6c dinner plates at 5c.
Pint tin cups at 3c.
Clothes wringers, usually sold for $4 and $5, now $2.50—lowest price ever reached. For this week only.
No. 1 improved churn $3.25.
19c broom now 15c.
98c lamp complete 75c.
98c wash bowl and pitcher 75c.
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98c wax dolls 50c.
Glass bread plates 18c.

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F. L. HAYS & CO.

300

Pieces New Spring Ginghams, at 6, 8, 10 and 12½c.

200

Pieces New Spring Prints at 5, 6 and 7c.

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Pieces Pillow Case Muslin and double-width Sheeting, 42, 45, 54 inches, 8-4, 9-4 and 10-4, bleached and brown, at 12, 14, 15, 17, 22, 25, 28, 30 and 33c a yard—all lower than ever before. Also Twilled and Linen Sheeting.

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Pieces Jamestown Mohair, in new Spring Shades. These are the best goods for the price in America. Also, new Spring Cashmeres, in black and colors.

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Pieces NEW NOVELTIES in White Dress Goods.

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Pieces New Embroideries, white and colored; Allovers, Lawn, Nainsook and Swiss Edgings and Insertings; Matched Goods, from one inch to ¾ yard wide, at prices from 5c to $4 a yard. This is the handsomest lot of Embroideries we have ever shown.

We have a full stock of all kinds of DOMESTIC GOODS. We have Handsome patterns Novelty Trimmings, New Corsets, Linen Collars, Braids, Buttons, etc., etc.

Every size of the "Wonder" Unlaundried Shirt at $1.00—*a better one can not be made at any price.*

Table Linens, Napkins and Towels—we never had so good a stock and at such low prices.

ACENTS McCALL'S BAZAR PATTERNS.

March 4, 1885—d&wtf

We Have Made

Sweeping Reductions

IN ALL GRADES OF

Gold and Silver Watches, Jewelry, Silverware and all Fancy Goods.

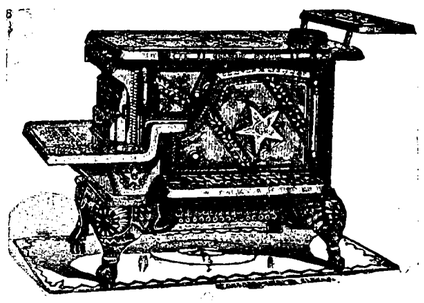
We have too many goods on hand, and if low prices will be an inducement to buyers, we are determined to dispose of them.

Do not buy one dollar's worth of goods in our line until you have seen our stock and prices.

W. R. ABBOTT & CO.,

Dec. 20—d&wtf JEWELERS.

GOLDEN STAR.



GOLDEN STAR Cook, plain top, like above cut, for coal or wood. We also keep the same with reservoir.

ELEGANT in design, extra large oven, most perfect baker—in fact a first-class stove in every respect.

GRISWOLD & LEWIS,

Successors to Close, Griswold & Co.,

OLD CORNER HARDWARE STORE.

Unequalled Bargains!

AN ELEGANT DISPLAY

—OF—

Reliable Goods and Guaranteed Value.

Special attention is called to our large line and most complete variety of

DRESS GOODS,

SUMMER SILKS, (In Plaids and Stripes.)

VELVETS,

PARASOLS, HOSIERY, CORSETS,

CURTAIN NET, SCRIM CLOTH,

Embroideries, Laces, Gloves, Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Housekeeping Linens,

—AND—

WHITE GOODS.

You can Save 15 to 25 Cents on EACH DOLLAR BY TRADING WITH US.

Come to us for BARGAINS and nobby goods.

Big 18 CHEAP STORE.

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A PREMIUM of 12 yds of the best Calico or fancy worsted dress goods, of good quality, and of your own selection, will be given to each customer buying $5.00 worth or over.

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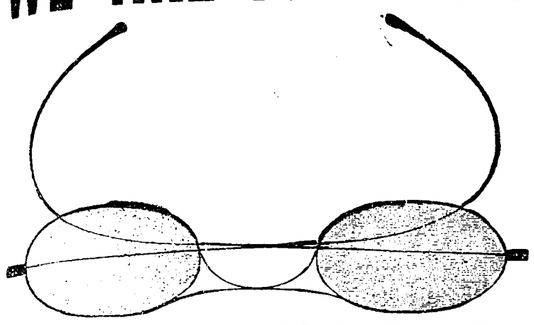

To fit almost any one with the BEST Spectacles that can be had, and at REASONABLE prices.

We would ask our trade in the country and towns surrounding Decatur to please keep in mind that we can give you the very best Steel Spectacles with silver nose-piece and finest

FRENCH CRYSTAL LENSES,

for $2 50, and the same lenses in SOLID GOLD FRAMES.

FROM $5.00 TO $7.50.

We would like to ask our patrons to keep these prices in mind when they are besieged by the numerous spectacle peddlers now making the rounds of the country, giving a lengthy "Song and Dance" about "Scotch Quartz," "Brazilian Pebble," and all that sort of stuff, claiming to be Dr. Somebody or another, and getting enormous prices for, in many instances, inferior goods to those we offer above.

We have all the appliances to fit any eye that can be fitted. We guarantee not only the fit, but the quality.

Respectfully,

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.,

Leading Jewelers of Illinois.

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For Good Bread,

CAKES, PIES, Etc. Everything made at Brewer's is as choice as can be found anywhere.

Wedding Cakes a Specialty.

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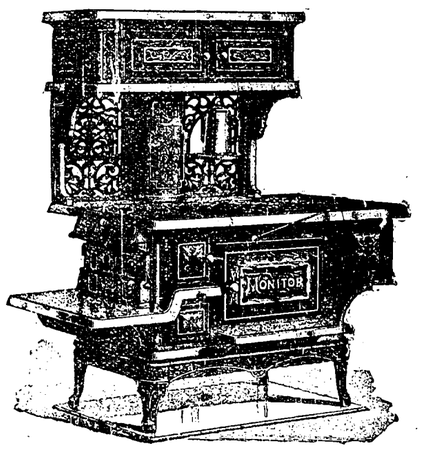

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LARGE HEARTH, FEED DOOR AND ASH PAN.

48 Sizes and Styles. Call and Examine.

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FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT

125 North Water Street.

Ladies!

You can buy the best $3.00 Kid Button Shoes in the city, at Barber & Baker's.

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You can buy the best $1.00 Walking Shoe at Barber & Baker's. d&wtf

Housekeeping Goods.

Lace Curtaining of all kinds, Bed Spreads, Table Damasks, Towels, Napkins and Crash, in great supply, at ruinously low prices. CHEAP STORE.

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--Sleeves of evening dresses are as short and gloves as long as ever.

AYER'S Cathartic Pills are the best medicine that can be employed to correct irregularities of the stomach and bowels. Gentle, yet thorough, in their action, they cure constipation, stimulate the digestive organs and the appetite, and cleanse, build up, and strengthen the system.

Western Land Excursion.

The Illinois Central R. R. will run a land-seekers' excursion to Sibley, Iowa; Pipestone, Minn., and Watertown, Dakota, leaving Decatur at 7:40 a. m., May 20. Return tickets good for 40 days. Stop-over privileges at all points north of and including Iowa Falls. For excursion circulars giving rates and names of land agents, apply to the undersigned at Manchester, Iowa.

J. F. MERRY,
1-3t Gen'l West. Pass. Agt.

GO TO Ebert & Stewart for roofing, spouting and repairing. Slate furnished for foundations. If you want anything in our line we will save you money. Satisfaction guaranteed.

JOHN H. EBERT & STEWART,
apr20-dtf New Haworth Block.

Parasols.

We have just received an elegant assortment and splendid variety. We propose to sell them on a very small margin over and above cost.

18 Merchant st. CHEAP STORE.
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NORFOLK coats cheap at Cheap Charley's. a17dtf

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier,	10 Cts.
One year, in advance,	$5.00
Six Months, "	2.50
Three Months, "	1.25

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CIRCUIT JUDGE.

WE are authorized to announce J. W. WILKIN, of Marshall, Clark county, as a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit judge.

WE are authorized to announce JAMES F. HUGHES, of Mattoon, as a candidate for circuit judge.

CHARLES A. EWING, of Decatur, is hereby announced as a candidate for Circuit Judge.

SATURDAY EVE., MAY 2, 1885.

LOCAL NEWS.

LAWN VASES, different styles, sizes and prices. Come and see the new Iron Reservoir Vase, at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

DIME show all next week.

LAST of the art lectures to-night.

PETE LAUX spent yesterday at Lincoln putting up three billiard tables for Nick.

THERE will be dry times among the tipplers until Tuesday morning—all the saloons closed.

THERE are nearly 600 Wabash employes now on duty in Decatur in various departments.

INFANTS will be baptized by Rev. Prestley at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning.

"HENRY THE EIGHTH" will be the subject of Dr. Vosburgh's Sunday evening lecture.

THE New Deming saloon is being repapered during the enforced prohibition era. Ditto Campbell & McGinty's place, on Front street.

CHARLEY LAUX, city treasurer, has filed his official bond. It is for $60,000, with James Millikin, Milton Johnson, J. R. Gorin and H. W. Waggoner as securities.

THE lobby will be crowded at the council meeting Monday night. The reporters have had chairs reserved for their use, so they will not get left if they get in a little late.

REMEMBER you can telephone to Montgomery's North Water street store, and order family groceries left at your homes.

'SQUIRE ALBERT is the Decatur manager of the S. Boneham nursery, and can be found at the nursery lot every Wednesday and Saturday. He will receive orders for trees, shrubs and flowers any day.

THE elegant line of new wall paper on sale at Abel & Locke's carpet house is greatly admired by the ladies and sales are rapid.

THE next practical talk will be delivered at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, on May 14th. The lecturer will be Dr. E. W. Moore, who will speak to young men only. His subject will be, "How to Reach a Vigorous Manhood and a Happy Old Age."

BURKS' White Pine Balsam is the most effective remedy known for coughs, colds and hoarseness. Try it.

MRS. E. A. GASTMAN, who has devoted much time to landscape painting, has turned her attention to portrait painting The very excellent picture of John H. Crocker, of Maron, done in crayon, is her first attempt. It is an exact picture of the young man, and is finished with the skill of a true artist.

GOOD apples, fine canned goods, and choice family groceries at Hanks & Patterson's. 147 South Water street.

THE Prof. Will Smith concert and show party will arrive home Sunday morning from Lafayette, where they have been playing to large audiences this week. The company will remain here several days.

THAT troublesome night cough will yield to Burks' White Pine Balsam.

THE excavation is finished for the A. Harpstrite double two story brick store building, to be put up on the corner of East Eldorado and Short streets. Brick laying will commence Monday, if the weather is favorable.

THE renowned "Andersonville Decorator," Comrade Frank Smith, has been secured by the Y. M. C. A., to deliver two lectures at the tabernacle on the evenings of May 25th and 26th. The subject will be "In and Out of Andersonville."

A chronic cough or cold can be cured with Burks' White Pine Balsam.

FRANK F. HARDY, a drummer for the Detroit Stove Company, committed suicide at Galesburg last night by shooting himself through the heart. He is known to hardware dealers and others in Decatur. Hardy claims to have been drugged at Aurora and robbed of $2600.

PRETTY rockers, lovely parlor sets, children's chairs and what-nots, at Dustman & Meyer's establishment—all at low figures.

THE John S. Campbell residence, near the Catholic church, is to be a commodious and handsome frame dwelling. It looks massive. When finished it will be one of the most comfortable dwellings in any part of the city.

LADIES' lisle-thread hose, equal to the best in the market, in black and other solid colors, at 25c, 50c and 65c respectively. See them. CHEAP STORE.

Big 18 1-d&w1w

YOU can save money every clip by buying musical instruments at C. B. Prescott's parlor, in opera block. The Haines Bros.' pianos are the favorites.

D. A. MAFFIT has three wagons delivering pure crystal ice every day. Send orders to Telephone 100. apr 7-dtf

JAMES BRADLEY was taken from Bloomington to Joliet on Thursday for 27 years for the murder of Pearson. Owing to his delicate health he has been given light work in the knitting department.

LEAVE your orders for ice at Michl's store or telephone 121. a23-d2w

FINE style straight cut coats at Cheap Charley's. Call and examine. a17dtf

THE *"constantly tired-out"* feeling so often experienced is the result of impoverished blood, and consequent enfeebled vitality. Ayer's Sarsaparilla feeds and enriches the blood, increases the appetite, and promotes digestion of the food, and the assimilation of its strengthening qualities. The system being thus invigorated the feeling rapidly changes to a grateful sense of strength and energy.

Our Bed Spreads

At 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 excel anything in this market for the price.
CHEAP STORE.

18 Merchant St. 1-d&w1w

CHARLEY BRYAN would be pleased to have his friends call and see him at John Irwin's White Front. 6-d&wtf

THE WABASH SHOPS.

600 Men on Duty in Various Departments—Recent Improvements.

Promise of More Shop Plums for Decatur.

In the days agone it was predicted frequently by the wise ones that some day the Wabash would do the handsome thing by Decatur, in the way of bringing many of its important shops to this point, and thus swell the population of the city and increase the volume of business in various channels of trade. Decatur has held her grip under the different managements of the railway, chiefly because of her location at the intersection of the various diverging branches of the road. Of late years she has been gaining on and drawing from former centres—Springfield, Peoria, Toledo, and in no small degree from St. Louis, until now Decatur is the headquarters of many departments of the road, with new shop buildings erected, and estimated railway population from the Wabash alone of nearly 600 active employes, representing by families say 2,500 to 3,000 souls, young and old. This is doing pretty well, and is a good startor for the 3,000 to 4,000 Wabash employes who will sooner or later make their homes in this thriving city, where eventually all the chief shops of the road will be permanently located.

THE OFFICERS.

The chief officers of the Wabash now making their headquarters in Decatur are:
E. N. Armstrong, division superintendent;
D. L. Ryder, chief clerk.
S. B. Knight, division freight agent.
M. M. Martin, superintendent of the car department.
George C. Kineman, superintendent of telegraph.
G. A. Hurd, master of transportation.
H. I. Miller, superintendent of the dining-car department.
F. H. Payne, assistant master mechanic.
K. Harwood, local agent.
G. E. Kain, roadmaster.

NEW BUILDINGS.

A force of men under George C. Simmons are now putting up a substantial building directly north of the Union depot platform, which is to be used as a paint shop for passenger and freight cars made and repaired in a building not far off. It is 180 feet in length and is 60 feet wide. Two car tracks run into the building from the east end, and will furnish space from end to end for 16 to 18 cars at a time. This large structure hides from the view of the people on the depot platform the other shops lately built by the Wabash.

The new building north of it is the office of W. M. Martin, superintendent of the car department for the Wabash system. His chief clerk is Captain J. G. Baedenhausen; M. B. Schaffer, draughtsman; P. G. Schafer, clerk. The other clerks are C. E. Head, H. H. Dawson, Eugene Head and G. H. Baedenhausen. On the lower floor is the office of B. B. Rose, the general foreman of the shops. His clerk is W. M. Martin, and here J. H. Hoy, the storekeeper, has his desk. A long and wide room into which the reporter had a look contains the hardware supplies of the different branches of the road. The stock is very large, but it is soon to be increased to a still greater quantity. Articles and packages are sent out in different directions on nearly every train.

Beyond this building is another large structure, comparatively new, which is used as a repair shop—a building in which passenger and freight cars, wrecked on the road, or worn out, are brought here to be made new and fit for service. Adjoining it is a low building where hand-cars are made. There is a vast amount of machinery used, all kept in motion by steam power. In the car department alone there are fully 200 men employed. The different foremen are George W. Hathaway, passenger cars; George Fudge, freight; Ike Terhune, saw shop; Fred Feidt, machine shop; C. D. Holliday, tin shop; S. A. Flenner, upholstery; S. P. Wayne, paint shop; Ira Meisenheiter, blacksmith shop; W. H. Trueyard, foreman; Charles Chandler, laboring force.

Further east is the large round house, the home of the 20 railway locomotives, and attached to this crescent shaped brick is another machine shop, with Charley Adams in charge of the stationary engine. The round house and everything relating to it is the special domain of Frank H. Payne, the assistant master mechanic, whose clerk is George Handy. Mr. Payne has 112 men in the machinery department, with Ed. Sasseen as foreman. This number does not include the 80 engineers and firemen.

In addition to the above divisions of the operating forces there are the passenger and freight conductors with their crews; the telegraph and freight office men, watchmen, callers, track men, yard men, etc., the whole number aggregating about 600. The pay roll for the company in Decatur averages about $40,000 a month, and most of this cash is distributed among the merchants of the city. Forty thousand dollars a month aggregates $480,000 a year. A goodly number of the employes have families, and they are economical, using their surplus in the purchase of homes in the fifth and other wards. New dwellings go up every season, and the builder generally proves to be a Wabash man.

PROSPECTS.

The recent improvements at this point by the company naturally led the reporter to believe that other shops and departments of the road would be located in Decatur. Of course it cannot be said now that other shops will be brought here, but it is very probable that before another year has passed away, the company will commence the repairing and construction of railway locomotives in Decatur. All the signs point that way, and if we get this plum, then Decatur will have the bulge on Springfield and Toledo to a great degree, and the managers in time may concentrate *all* the chief shops here. It is only a question of time. Decatur is *the* central point on the eastern or middle division for the shops, and those acquainted with the situation say the bosses of the road are fast learning that it will be largely to their interest to have the most of their work done here.

The ground about the depot is limited, but they can get abundant space east of the coal shaft, or out on the line of the Champaign division of the road, where rolling mill buildings and other shops could spread themselves.

SOME of the country visitors in the city to-day who love their "nips," look funny as they walk about trying to find an open saloon. They do not understand the situation. There was a report among some of the countrymen that Decatur had had gone for prohibition.

MR. LEUMAN, residing 6 miles northeast of Decatur, commenced planting corn to day.

LAST evening the home of R. E. Pratt, on West William street, was visited by twenty or more neighbors and friends who came to take the house by surprise. Mrs. Pratt was at home and received the guests with a good deal of surprise and chagrin as she opened the door to admit them. Mr. P. was in Springfield yesterday and was expected to arrive home at seven o'clock, but did not arrive until after 10:30 o'clock, so there was a partial surprise all round. He welcomed his guests cordially. The evening was spent in playing games and social conversation, and delicious cream and cake were served before the surprisers departed. Miss Ella Shockey did the honors of the occasion and planned the affair.

PATRONIZE Peck & Co. in opera block. They handle first-class groceries and reliably fresh butter.

TO MORROW will be "Children's Day" at the Christian Church.

10 We make the following Standing Offer: We will sell at retail any items offered cheap by our competitors, at 10 per cent. below their price named 50,000 pairs now ready. L. L. FERRIS & Co.

Y. M. C. A.

Gospel services at 3:30 p. m. in rooms, 148 Merchant street. Everybody cordially invited to this service.

The Church Entertainment.

An appreciative audience of 600 to 700 people nearly filled the audience room of the First M. E. Church last night, and heard the beautiful selections from the grand "Messiah" oratorio, arranged and given under the direction of Prof. Lutz. The entertainment was given by the members of the church choir—38 in number—and each and all of the numbers were splendidly rendered, causing the auditors to applaud generously. The programme, as published, presenting the organ prelude, the Declaration, the Annunciation, the Advent, the Doctrine, Palm Sunday, Last Words, the Crucifixion, the Resurrection, and the final beautiful chorus of the Triumph, was faithfully observed. The special numbers were a solo, "While Shepherds watch their flocks by night," by S. R. Gher: quartette, "Lay not up for yourselves," by O. F. Tucker, Sallie McCall, Sadie Taylor and Howard Diller; solo, "Consider the Lilies," by Prof. Lutz; duet, "Blessed are they that mourn," by Emily Hamsher and Nora Radcliff; quartette, "Now from the sixth hour," Milton Johnson, Lizzie Knieper, Florence Adams and Prof. Lutz; quartette, "As it began to dawn toward the first day of the week," by J. A. Dawson, Sadie Taylor, Mrs. Talmadge and Prof. Lutz. The choruses were in the main strong and effective, indicating that the Professor had devoted much time and care in instructing the choir, whose members were selected less than a year ago. The organ accompaniment, by Miss Stella B. Hadden, of the Musical College, was a triumphant achievement. She was equal to all the changes and acquitted herself splendidly. The proceeds of the entertainment will be about $125, which goes into the church fund.

J. W. Butman.

Action of the Board of Directors of the Decatur Gas Light and Coke Company, April 9th, 1885:

Resolved, That the resignation of Mr. J. W. Butman, as superintendent of the works, be accepted, to take effect on the 1st day of May proximo, and that in so doing we hereby tender to Mr. Butman our high appreciation of the industry and integrity with which he has discharged the duties of the office held by him since May 1, 1871, and the esteem in which we hold him for his unvarying fidelity and uniform courtesy.

MRS. BANKS, mother of Louis Magaw, the boy who was accidentally drowned in the city well in the Howell pasture February 5th, 1884, has brought suit against the city of Decatur, claiming damages in the sum of $2,000. The declaration has been filed and is in the hands of Attorney Mills. The boy was playing about the well, and getting on the thin surface of ice, he broke through and was drowned.

It Is a Whopper.

Mr. T. H. Wingate has a mammoth egg at his lamp store, which takes the chandelier for size and weight. It weighs 4¼ ounces, and is 8½x6⅝ inches in circumference, each way. Mr. Wingate has a Buff Cochin hen that presents the family with three eggs of this size each week.

YESTERDAY Leforgee & Son sold for Theo. A. Gehrman, of Chicago, the American Vapor Stove property on East Main street, to Chas. H. Brown, for $1500. The property embraces the old brick and two lots.

The Kenney Town.

Maroa went license and the saloons are open now. They are two in number. Kenney's town board met and granted liquor licenses to Samuel Emmett, Pettyjohn Bros. and D. W. Ducey; laid the applications for billiard and pool licenses on the table; made the liquor license $500; other applications referred; elected David Cromwell marshal, and R. Robbins treasurer. The president appointed the following committees: On ordinance—J. R. Turner, W. R. Ferguson and B Burns. Streets and alleys—BURNS, HAGUE and INES.

WHILE holding court at Tuscola Wednesday, Judge Wilkin received a telegram announcing that his little daughter had fallen and broken an arm. He immediately adjourned court and returned home to attend the little motherless sufferer.

Public Sale.

I will sell, at public auction, at my late residence, No. 301 West North street, on Thursday next, May 7th, at 2:30 p. m., a lot of household and kitchen furniture, consisting of beds and bedding, carpets, new cooking stove, two heating stoves, baby carriage, ringer, refrigerator, 2 wash stands, dishes, canned fruits and many other things not mentioned. Terms of the sale, cash. C. O. PIATT.

2-d6

A Week of Drama.

The Maud Atkinson comedy and dramatic company will appear at the opera house every night next week, opening Monday night in "Fanchon." The Peoria *Journal* said:

A very fair audience greeted the first appearance of the Maude Atkinson company at the Grand opera house last evening, and was highly pleased with the entertainment furnished. Miss Atkinson, the star, as "Fanchon the Cricket," and D. L. Fox as "Landry," both played strong parts, and carried the house with them from the first. At the end of the fourth act they were called before the curtain to acknowledge the hearty applause which greeted the fall of the curtain on a bit of very fine acting. Miss Atkinson exhibited dramatic ability of a high order, and her support throughout is first-class. The play as a whole was very pleasing, and the troupe is bound to crowd the house as soon as its merit is realized among the amusement-loving public.

Admission, 10, 15 and 25 cents.

A Big Boom

In Boots and Shoes at Busher & Hutchin's. We are having an enormous trade. We offer to-day Men's $4.00 Kip Boots for $2.60. Ladies' Kid front lace Shoes worth $2.75, for $1.00. Misses' Buff white and grain leather Shoes, for 50c a pair. We have the best $1.00 Toe Slippers in the city. The best $3.00 Ladies' Shoe in the state, and the best $3.00 Men's Shoes in the United States. Don't forget our *Great Cheap Sales.*

2-dtf BUSHER & HUTCHIN.

Hosiery.

In endless variety, color and quality. Conspicuous among them we show an elegant line of pin stripe full regular made, seamless ladies' hose at 25c, 35c and 40c; same grades and qualities in solid colors, including black, at 20, 25, 30, 40 and 50c, respectively, and thousands of other equally great bargains in ladies', misses and children's hosiery. See them before you buy. CHEAP STORE.

Big 18. 1-d6w1

MARRIED.

At the residence of Henry Heeser, in Hickory Point township, on April 28th, 1885, by Jacob S. Keller, J. P., MR. CHARLES CHESSLER and MISS ADDIE HEESER, both of this county.

DIED.

In this city, at 312 South Main street, on May 1st, of congestion of the brain, JULIA, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Murphy, aged 14 weeks.

The funeral will take place from the Catholic church at 1:30 p. m. Sunday.

Caught Him Quick.

The sheriff of Marion county, Indiana, arrived in Decatur at noon to-day, having in custody a sleek-looking, well-dressed prisoner arrested at St. Louis, for a crime committed in the Hoosier state. The prisoner was securely handcuffed. He was led from the Wabash to the I., D. & S. passenger train, which soon pulled out for Indianapolis. As it was moving along slowly the door of the coach flew open quickly and the prisoner jumped from the platform and lit out on a run. The sheriff tumbled off the train, regained his feet and traveled fast after his fleeing prisoner. He was caught on East Eldorado street, amid great excitement, people running wildly here and there. When caught the fellow simply smiled and submitted gracefully to the will of his excited captor. The train was held until the sheriff returned with his prisoner, and both got aboard the cars in good order.

THIS afternoon John R. Miller and family, E. McClellan, O. B. Gorin, F. W. Haines, J. R. McLain and wife and W. E. Bingham will leave for Mackinaw on a fishing excursion. They will be absent a week, and will be joined next week by Mr. Packard.

PERSONAL MENTION.

MRS. K. Harwood arrived from the east yesterday afternoon.

Senator Rogers is home from Springfield.

J. O. Ruddock visited Lincoln yesterday on business.

Rev. J. G. Hursh, of Vandalia, is a guest of M. L. Deck.

Billy Ewald is again on duty at the Western Union office.

State's Attorney Vail and R. E. Pratt were at Springfield yesterday on business.

Charley Fletcher, of Mt. Zion, was in the city to-day. He reports the farmers backward in their work.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Zach. Coover, last night, twins, a lively pair of boys. Both doing well. Ditto the mother.

Rev. T. I. Coultas left for Danville to-day noon. He will preach there on Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Starr, who has been ill with pneumonia, was out last evening for the first time in six weeks.

Mrs. Harry Crea and son, of Carlyle, Ill., who have been in the city several weeks, will return home next week.

D. H. Conklin, the Midland receiver, arrived home from Chicago last evening, accompanied by his son, Charles.

Mrs. Capt. G. R. Bacon and son left for Champaign and other points this morning on a visit. They will be absent several weeks.

Walter Simpson left for Quincy yesterday evening in the interest of Keefe & Kraft, wholesale liquor dealers of this city.

Eldwin Philbrook, who has about recovered from the effects of his late illness, paid the REPUBLICAN office a call this morning.

Supervisor Woodcock, of Macon, in town to-day, reports everything quiet down his way, with the farmers busy in the fields.

Boyd Braden has received a telegram stating that his wife's mother had died in Chicago. Mrs. Braden was with her at the time. The body will be taken to Michigan for burial.

John H. Leidigh, a prominent lumber merchant of Chicago, arrived in the city last evening. He was accompanied by his family, and all are guests of D. S. Shellabarger. Mr. L. formerly resided in Decatur, and has many friends here.

Harry M. Moore is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Lieut. C. B. Moore, who arrived at Brooklyn, N. Y., some days ago. She writes that Charley was wounded at Panama on April 11, a stray bullet during a temporary riot among the insurgents striking him on the right elbow, shattering the bones at the joint and passing down the forearm to the wrist, where the ball was taken out. At the time of the riot the Lieutenant was in a squad of marines bravely doing their duty, and Charley was highly complimented by the officers and town people. One citizen gave him a Spanish sword cane and another a relic in the shape of a melted $5 gold piece. The wound is healing reasonably well, but the Lieutenant will probably have a stiffened arm. Mrs. Moore will remain at Brooklyn two months or longer.

The Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at noon to-day:

Wheat—89⅛ May; 91⅝ June; 93¾ July.
Corn—49¼ May; 49 June; 49⅛ July.
Oats—36⅝ May; 36⅜ June; 36¼ July.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

CHURCH OF GOD.

M. S. Newcomer, pastor. Morning subject, "Christ's Third Temptation;" evening theme, "The Faith never Ship-wrecked." Experience meeting at 3 p. m. All are invited to attend the services.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Rev. Sophie Gibb, pastor. Services at 10:30 and 7:30. Morning subject, "The religion of human sympathy." Evening, "The spiritual life the only true life."

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Holy Communion 7 a. m.; Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; service and sermon, 10:45 a. m.; evening service, 7:00 p. m.

HOUSE OF PRAYER.

Holy Communion 8 a. m.; service and sermon 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school 2:30 p. m.; evening prayer 7:30 p. m.

GERMAN M. E CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All German speaking people are cordially invited to attend. Wm. Schoenig, pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Baptism of infants during the morning service. Subject of the evening discourse "The way that knows no return."

STAPP'S CHAPEL M. E.

Class meeting, 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, George Stevens. Sunday school at 2 p. m. D. S. Shellabarger, Sup't. All are cordially invited.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Geo. B. Vosburgh, Ph. D., pastor, preaches at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of the morning sermon, "The Peace of God." Evening, "Hugh Latimer; England in the Days of Henry VIII," this being the fourth lecture in the series on the "Heroes of History." The public is invited. Sunday School at 9:15 a. m.

W. C. T. U.

THE gospel temperance meeting will be held in the new rooms of the W. C. T. U., over the Big 18, on Merchant street, on Sunday, May 3, at 3:30 o'clock. Per order SUP'T EVAN. WORK.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

General class meeting at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by Rev. J. F. Stout, pastor of Kimber Methodist Church, Danville. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Services as follows: Preaching by the pastor, at 10:30 a. m; subject, "The Mons." At 7:30 a Children's meeting. Judge Wm. E. Nelson, Prof. J. T. Bowles and the pastor will address the meeting. Sunday School at 2 p. m. All are invited.

ENGLISH EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Corner North Main and Eldorado sts. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Prof. J. G. Hursh, of Vandalia, Ill., will preach both morning and evening. All are welcome.

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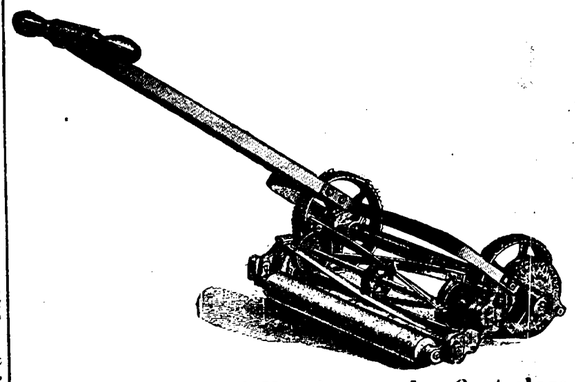

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EMBLEMS.

Some Conspicuous Examples of the Symbolism of Flowers.

England's great statesman, the Earl of Beaconsfield, died on the 19th of April, 1881. Among his other characteristics he was known to be passionately fond of flowers; and of all flowers his favorite was the pretty little primrose, which grows so plentifully on every English field and lane.

So it became the habit of those English people who cherish his memory, to adopt the primrose as a memento of him. On every 19th of April thousands of English are to be seen, in city streets and in the country districts, wearing the primrose in honor of the departed statesman.

In speaking of this custom recently, Sir Stafford Northcote, Beaconsfield's colleague and friend, said of the primrose that "it grows everywhere in the country, flowering in the most disadvantageous and most discouraging situations; and comes in the very beginning of spring, spreading itself over our fields as a type of fresh hope, fresh determination and fresh interest to men."

In all ages, and among almost every people, flowers have been adopted as symbols, types and emblems of human combination, affection and loyalty. The young reader need scarcely be reminded of the red and white roses which were the badges of the Lancastrian and York rivals to the English throne.

But this symbolism of flowers dates back to periods far older than the time of the wars of the Roses. The ancient nations had each its emblematic flower. The special flower of the Hindoos, for instance, has always been the marigold. The Chinese display as their national flower the gorgeous chrysanthemum.

The Assyrians have for ages proudly worn the water-lily. Egyptians delight most of all in the heliotrope; though the papyrus leaf, used by the ancient Egyptians in place of paper, may also be regarded in a high sense as the symbolic plant of the Nile.

The Greeks and Romans were in the habit of distributing the flowers in their luxurious gardens among the gods and demi-gods; just as in yet remoter times the sweet basil and the moon-flower were sacred to Asiatic deities.

In the Roman custom, to Juno was devoted the lily, to Venus the myrtle and the rose, to Minerva the olive and the violet; Diana had the dittany, Ceres the poppy, Mars the ash, Bacchus the grapeleaf, Hercules the poplar, and Jupiter, naturally, the monarch of trees, the oak.

So, we may infer that among the Romans, the lily and the oak were the emblems of power; the myrtle and the rose, of love; the olive and the violet, of learning; the ash, of war; and the grape-leaf, of festivity.

Even the days of the week, as we use them now, are named from deities who had each his special flower; the Sun (Sunday), the sunflower; the Moon (Monday), the daisy; Tuesday (the god Tui's day), the violet; Wednesday (the god Woden's day), the blue monkshood; Thursday (the god Thor's day), the burdock; Friday (the goddess Frea's day), the orchis; and Saturday (Saturn's day), the horse-tail.

We find also that in our own time, the sacred days in the calendar of the English Church have all their flower or plant emblems; the principal of which are, the holly for Christmas, the palm of Palm Sunday, and the amaranth for All Saints' Day.

Monarchs and nations have often had their symbolic flowers. The thistle is the emblem of Scotland, and the shamrock of Ireland. The fleur-de-lis is the badge of the royal house of France, and the amaranth of that of Sweden. The rose blooms forever on the royal coat-of-arms of England.

Surely nature bears no product more gracefully adapted to such symbolism than the flowers, in the infinity of their forms, colors and poetic significance. —*Youth's Companion.*

PORPOISES.

The Flesh of the Fish Becoming an Article of Use as Food.

Porpoise fishing promises to become one of the principal industries on the New Jersey coast. At first porpoises were caught for the skin and blubber alone, the carcasses being thrown away or in a few instances used as fertilizers. From the blubber is extracted a very fine oil, while the skin makes a superior quality of leather. Some time last fall it was discovered that porpoise flesh was savory to the taste, and it soon became popular as an article of food. The juicy red meat, which is taken from beneath a layer of fat next to the skin, is pronounced by epicures to be more palatable than any porter-house steak ever cooked. In appearance it resembles beef, but is more solid and of finer grain and very tender. Some persons say that it tastes like venison, and that there is nothing of the fishy taste about it. Last fall New York fish dealers offered two cents per pound for the carcasses, but they will command a much higher figure next summer. The fishermen have received orders from prominent Philadelphia and New York hotels and restaurants, and it is believed that there will be a demand for the meat which can not be met. In addition to this, much of it will be dried and placed upon the market. It is superior to dried beef, as in this state it retains all of its sweetness, and is still as tender as when fresh. The porpoises weigh from three hundred to four hundred pounds, and are caught in a seine, which is necessarily large and cumbersome, as the fish are very powerful when they are in the water. Last year a seine about one thousand yards long, with a net reaching almost to the bottom of the sea, was used, but it was seldom that more than half a dozen fish were taken in a haul. Improved seines will be used this season. Each porpoise was estimated to be worth twenty dollars when nothing but the blubber and skin were used, but now that the flesh is in demand and extra fine oil is extracted from the heart, it is said that they will be worth more than double that amount.—*Boston Transcript.*

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, Oh it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Krump's Balsam, which we sell on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1.00. *Trial size free.* For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner, druggist, 14 south side new square. b3

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REPORT OF ATTENDANCE
In the Schools of Decatur for the Week Ending Friday, May 1, 1885.

	No. Enrolled.	½ days Absent.	No. Tardy.
HIGH SCHOOL.			
J. W. Gibson	61	14	3
Mary W. French	52	14	0
Minnie A. Parker	43	14	2
Mary Wilder	48	25	0
Ella Bear	93	22	2
FIRST WARD.			
Thos. L. Evans	58	13	1
Allda R. Handy	40	21	1
Sallie M. Brand	58	32	3
Clara Stare	53	47	4
A. Anna Tinkler	80	17	3
Belle Hobbs	130	26	8
SECOND WARD.			
Edwin Philbrook	53	25	0
Belle Fulton	53	27	1
Lucy Anderson	60	25	1
Anna M. Wilson	56	33	1
Mary A. Lukens	81	17	1
Anna B. Murphy	105	39	2
THIRD WARD.			
Jennie E. Durfee	55	15	0
Anna H. Jack	54	21	2
G. Anna Raymond	58	26	1
Mary C. Gregory	55	41	0
Harriet A. Davidson	61	12	1
Ellen C. Philbrook	92	35	0
FOURTH WARD.			
Rosa E. Judson	34	23	0
Mattie V. Bean	45	19	0
Anna E. Woods	48	10	8
Clara W. Bowles	111	29	7
FIFTH WARD.			
John T. Bowles	48	35	1
Mary A. Bradley	49	13	1
Sarah E. Sanderson	52	28	1
Laura Montgomery	93	23	1
JONES SCHOOL.			
Mattie H. Evans	10	22	0

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—The trustees of Asbury Park, N. J. have voted to expel the Salvation Army from its borders, declaring the army a public nuisance.

Red Roses on Pale Cheeks.

Thin blood means poor health. Many girls and women look as if they never had enjoyed a hearty meal or a brisk walk of a mile. Languor and debility possess these sorrowing persons. Give them Brown's Iron Bitters. Then their blood will be pure and rich and they will enjoy health. Mrs. Jennie Johnson, Cullman, Ala., says she took Brown's Iron Bitters for general debility, and was cured.

—A man who had formerly been a drug clerk accidentally broke a quinine pill he was about to take, and found it to consist of two split peas. He said he was "not much surprised."

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Two Dangerous Seasons.

Spring and fall are times when so many people get sick. The changes in the weather are severe on feeble persons, and even those naturally strong are apt, as they say, "to be feeling miserable." Then they are just in condition to be struck down with some kind of fever. A bottle or two of Parker's Tonic will invigorate the digestion, put the liver, kidneys and blood in perfect order, and prevent more serious attacks. Why suffer, and perhaps die, when so simple a medicine will save you? Good for both sexes and all ages. m1-w&deod4w

—The increase of celibacy in Massachusetts is attracting public attention in that state. Many of the Massachusetts newspapers have been assailing the bachelors rather severely for their "selfishness."

Don't Give It Up So.

"Oh! if I had only known that in time." Known what? "That a simple cold in the head may develop into chronic catarrh." Well, it isn't too late, for Ely's Cream Balm will cure catarrh, even after the sufferer's life has become a burden to him, and he is a nuisance to his friends. It is the only radical and thoroughly scientific catarrh cure known. Not a snuff. Not a liquid. Price 50 cents. m1-w&deod2w

—Historical note: Plutarch says that Demosthenes made a gloomy fizzle of his first speech. This did not discourage him. He finally became the smoothest orator in that country, and it was no uncommon thing for him to fill the First Baptist Church of Athens full.

THE habitual use of pills is a sure means of ultimately undermining health and laying the foundation for some of the most distressing cases of chronic maladies. Use Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, a purely vegetable remedy, which tones and regulates the system, enriching the blood. It cures all diseases of the stomach, liver, blood and kidneys. Can be taken by the most delicate. 50 cents. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 2

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—"We meet to part no more," said the bald headed man to his hair-brush.

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"ONE who has seen much of war" writes to the London *Pall Mall Gazette:* "If you ask nine out of ten of your acquaintances at the present crisis what they would propose to do if the Russians should take Herat, the reply is, 'Why! turn them out, to be sure,' but, once the Russians are established there, what does 'turn them out' mean? Why, 50,000 British soldiers with 50,000 native ones, 300 guns at least, 200,000 baggage animals of all sorts, and 100,000 camp followers; and this force to march from Quettah, 500 miles distant from Herat, through a country very scantily provided with food, and having, on arrival at Herat, to fight a battle with an army which we know can and will fight, and in a carefully selected position; and this battle may decide the fate of India; for, if lost, where are we to retreat to?"

WHEN Carl Schurz, the pretended champion of civil-service reform, went on the platform in Boston, last Wednesday evening, to deliver his lecture on Abraham Lincoln, says the Philadelphia *Press*, he had the pleasure of knowing that the President whom he, last year, aided in electing had a few hours before nominated for Internal Revenue Collector of the Boston district a man who said during the war that the memory of this same Abraham Lincoln would "stink and shine and shine and stink like a rotten mackerel in the moonlight."

INDIANAPOLIS *Journal:* We have now a reform administration, with all that the term implies. It has been a long time since this Nation has been represented abroad by men who favored its destruction.

THE Small Boy is about the same everywhere. The corner-stone of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal Church was recently laid with appropriate ceremonies at Long Branch, and with the documents inclosed in the stone was placed a collection of small coins. The Small Boy was aware of it, and several of him managed to remove the stone and abstract the coin, leaving the historical documents untouched and where they could be easily reclaimed. But the whole affair has been discouraging to the authorities, who have offered a reward for the Small Boy's apprehension.

—Teel or apricot is a favorite shade in satin toilets this season.

—Chenile embroidered nun's veilings are going to be much worn.

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DISTRESS IN CHICAGO.

To get rid of the distress caused by such an intruder as rheumatism is one of the puzzles of the present age. Happily the new and popular remedy—Athlophoros—has come to the relief of this distress, and it finds its way into the homes of sufferers, not only through the drug stores, but at the hands of the medical faculty.

A correspondent while passing through Chicago, called on Dr. H. W. Joy, who is well known as one of the county physicians charged with the beneficent duty of relieving the distress of the poor. In addition to this work Dr. Joy has an extensive practice of his own. It had come to the knowledge of our correspondent that Dr. Joy was making use of Athlophoros, and had met with success with it in treating rheumatism and neuralgia.

Calling on Dr. Joy at his office, corner of State and Harrison streets, he found the doctor very busy with a procession of patients who were seeking relief from various ailments. He also found the Doctor quite willing to converse on the subject, and to give Athlophoros full credit for what it had done in conquering these troublesome diseases.

Said Doctor Joy: "Within the past year I have given Athlophoros a very fair trial among sufferers by rheumatism, some of whom were old people and had been troubled with the disease for a long time. I have also used it in cases that were not of such long standing. My experience has been that it is uniformly successful, and that it surpasses all medicines I have ever seen for expelling rheumatism from the system. My first acquaintance with it was from a sample bottle which was left at the house. It occurred to me to make an experiment with this, and the experiment was so successful that I determined to make regular use of the medicine. In some cases it acts immediately, in others not so quickly, but in all cases surely. I have never yet been disappointed in it. It is not an opiate to lull pain, as morphine does, but it carries away the cause of the pain, which is far better. I cannot see that it leaves any mischievous effects, as morphine and other opiates do. Sometimes after the first relief I have to administer Athlophoros again, and keep on for a while, notably in cases in which the malady is of long standing. But in many cases I have found the cure both speedy and permanent.

"As to neuralgia, I have not had so many cases, but enough to assure me of the value of Athlophoros in overcoming it. I have the highest confidence in this medicine, and shall continue to use it. I have no hesitancy in using, in my practice, anything which I find powerful to do what I want—namely, to cure disease."

Mr. M. Tilton, who transacts business at 164 La Salle street, had been a sufferer from rheumatism, and was found at his office.

Said Mr. Tilton: "I have indeed suffered greatly with rheumatism; my sufferings extending over a long series of years. My feet and hands were distorted and my joints were extremely painful. I had tried all the remedies I knew of. Some of them did no good at all, while some gave partial and temporary relief. I at last tried the new remedy, Athlophoros, and I am very free to say that this produced a rapid change. Athlophoros is the best medicine in the world. At first I was a little nauseated by it, but I was not discouraged for from the very first I felt that it was acting on me with marked effect. The continued use of it drove out all the pain of rheumatism and all the distortions and swellings. Now I am as well as ever, and am, as you see, able to attend to business regularly.

"My wife had rheumatism, and was cured by a bottle of Athlophoros. My daughter, who is a fine pianist, was troubled with rheumatic pains, which settled in the ends of her fingers, enlarging the joints and making it almost an impossibility for her to play on the piano. Half a bottle of Athlophoros was all she took. The rheumatism left her, and she was able to resume her piano practice as before.

"My brother-in-law has been cured of rheumatism by it. One friend who had sciatica at first thought that Athlophoros was doing him no good. But he persevered, and soon obtained relief."

ATTENTION!

LICENSE OR NO LICENSE.

It seems that a few things have to be settled in Decatur for a certainty before the spring election.

The first is, everybody ought to have an ornamental door-glass. It can be put in an ordinary panel door; would be cheap, and would look well.

The second is, that people ought to buy their Wall Paper at 528 North Water street, because they can get better bargains than at any other place.

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WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen in city or country wishing to earn $1 to $5 a day at their own homes; no canvassing; work furnished and sent by mail any distance. For particulars address, with stamp, CRYSTALIZED PHOTO CO., 53 W. 7th St., Cincinnati, O. 1-d6*

WHITEWASHING.—Leave your orders with I. R. Rogan, barber, under Peddecord & Burrows' Bank, Water street.
JESSE WRIGHT
April-d2mo and HARDY SCOTT.

NOTICE—All persons caught trespassing upon the tract known as "the flax field," north of the city, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. M. BROOK.
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WANTED—One good agent to take charge of a paying business in this city. Call at once. FARRAR J. BOWMAN, Palace Hotel. 30-d6t*

FOR RENT—Thirty-six acres of good pasture land, with never failing spring of water, near Cow Ford bridge, southeast of Decatur. Apply to J. M. RAINEY, 548 West Wood street. 28-d6*

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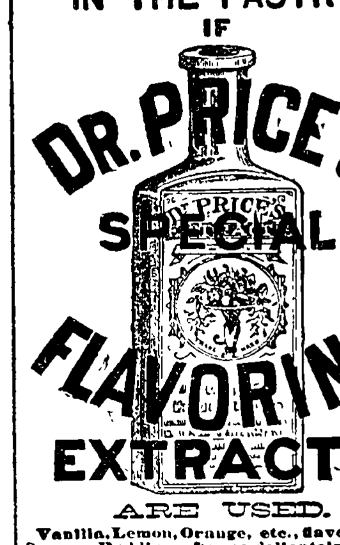

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A petition for Charter Members for Decatur Lodge K. & L. of H. is now being circulated. A large list will be obtained. The membership fee for Charter Members will be very low—merely nominal. Eligibility for membership is proper age, health, temperate habits, moral character. Avail yourself of this opportunity to join this noble order. Add your name to the petition, and if possible come to the Organization Meeting. If the Deputy fails to call on you with the petition, send your name to Dr. C. R. Arnold, Deputy Supreme Protector, at New Deming Hotel. 27d6

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" 42, Lightning Express ... 10:45 p. m
" 48, Accommodation arrives ... 7:00 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East ... 7:30 a. m
Going " ... 4 00 p. m
Going " ... 6:15 a. m

GOING WEST.

No. 43, Fast Line ... 6:1? a. m
" 57, Jacksonville Accommodation, 6:40 a. m
" 45, Fast Mail ... 3:30 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going west ... 12:30 p. m
Going " ... 10:45 a. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, Nov. 16th, 1884, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No. 2, Chicago Express ... 12:15 a. m
" 4, Atlantic Express ... 12.15 noon

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 3, St. Louis Express ... 3:30 a. m
" 45, St. Louis Mail ... 3:?2 p. m

St. Louis Division.
GOING WEST.

No. 3, St. Louis Express ... 3:10 a. m
" 43, Fast Line ... 4.55 a. m
" 44, ... 11.35 p. m
" 45, Decatur and St.Louis ... 3:00 p. m
" 5, Fast Mail ... 3:45 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 2, Chicago Express ... 11.59 a. m
" 4, Atlantic Express ... 11.45 a. m
" 42, Lightning Express ... 10:3? p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West ... 6.00 a. m
Arrive from West ... 6:30 p. m

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East ... 10:40 a. m
Leave for Champaign ... 4:00 p. m

For Maps, Time Tables, Tickets and any particular information, call on
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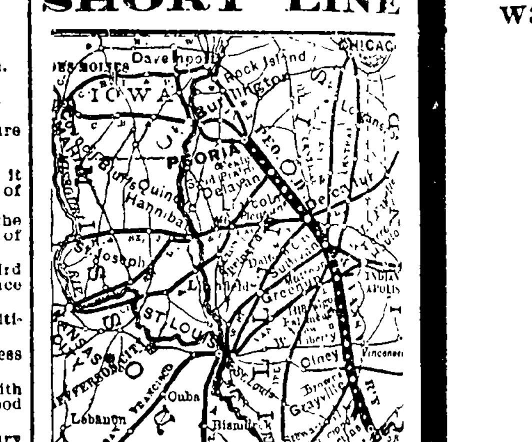

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GOING EAST.

Passenger ... 6 00 a. m
" ... 12.15 p. m
Freight ... 6.10 p. m

GOING WEST.

Passenger ... 1:56 p. m
" ... 11:30 p. m
Freight ... 9: 15 a. m

For maps, bills, time, rates and other information, call on or address
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Chicago and St. Paul Mail " 2 50 p m
Accommodation north " 7·40 a m
Local freight south " 8:45 a m
" " north " 4 15 p m

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Mail and Express No. 22 ... 12:05 p. m
Night Express No. 24 ... 10.45 p. m
Way Freight No. 26 ... 5:45 a. m
Mixed and Stock Tr No. 30 ... 5:35 p. m

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Mail and Day Express No. 21 ... 2:45 p. m
Night Express No. 23 ... 4:45 a. m
Way Freight No. 25 ... 7:15 p. m
Through Freight and Mixed Train No. 29 ... 8:30 a. m

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